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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
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- ~~Additional claim fees of \$1040 as a non small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.~~

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

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Total additional fee(s) required for this application is ~~\$1040~~ for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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- ~~Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1040~~

- ~~\$720 for 40 total claims over 20.~~
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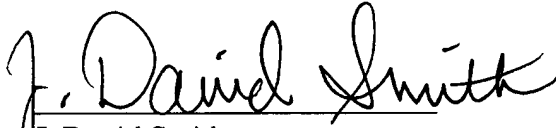
Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Notice of File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), Applicant submits herewith the following:

1. A Preliminary Amendment; and
2. A check in the amount of **\$900.00**, covering the following:
 - (a) Surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(e) \$130.00
 - (b) Filing Fee (Calculated according to Preliminary Amendment filed herewith. \$770.00

Applicant hereby authorizes that any charges in addition to the above authorized that relate to the filing and processing of the present Application in accordance with 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 may be charged to Deposit Account No. 11-1123. A duplicate copy of this letter is provided for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,


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